

HIDEHIKO YOKOYAMA

Application No.: 10/025,926

Filed: December 26, 2001

Docket No. 03500.016078.

Examiner: C. Daley

Group Art Unit: 2111

Date: August 5, 2005

For: MULTIFUNCTIONAL APPARATUS, INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS, DATA PROCESSING METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT EXECUTED BY THE MULTIFUNCTIONAL APPARATUS OR THE INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 30	MINUS	** 64	= 0	x \$25 \$50	-0-
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 9	MINUS	***	= 0	x \$100 \$200	-0-
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						
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	Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for a month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

Attorney for Applicant Frank L. Cire Registration No.: 42,419

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## **PATENT APPLICATION**

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified

application as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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Frank L. Cire (Reg. No. 42,419)

(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

August 5, 2005

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